

STATE OF MINNESOTA
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PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS, The Republic of Uruguay will celebrate the 200th anniversary of the birth of Jose Artigas, illustrious soldier and statesman, and
- WHEREAS, Jose Artigas was a leader of truly international stature, who nourished and inspired the struggle for freedom throughout all of Latin America, and
- WHEREAS, Artigas' contribution to the ideals of democracy and freedom bind us all as nations within principles of international peace, individual freedom and self-determination, and
- WHEREAS, The Bicentennial will be commemorated in Washington by tributes to Artigas in Congress and by high government officials,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Karl F. Rolvaag, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim June 19, 1964, as

"JOSE ARTIGAS DAY"

in Minnesota, and urge all Minnesotans to honor Uruguay's soldier statesman and appreciate and cherish the ties of friendship between our two countries.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this sixteenth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four, and of the State, the one hundred seventh.

Karl F. Rolvaag
GOVERNOR

Joseph L. Donovan
SECRETARY OF STATE

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